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application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application  
serial no. 09/083,537, filed May 21, 1998 (list only immediate  
prior application).

Title: **MULTI-PARTITE LIGANDS AND METHODS OF IDENTIFYING AND  
USING SAME**

Inventor(s) (full name of each inventor): **DANIEL S. SEM**

No abandonment of, or termination of proceedings, has occurred in  
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1. X An application based on the prior application as filed  
and containing no new matter is enclosed, consisting  
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1 page application cover sheet  
62 pages of specification (includes claims and  
abstract)  
2 sheets of formal drawings.
2. X 2 pages of a copy of the oath or declaration as  
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10. ☒ Cancel in this application original claims 1-14 and 20-36 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claims must be retained for filing purposes.)
11. The prior application is assigned of record to Triad Biotechnology, Inc.
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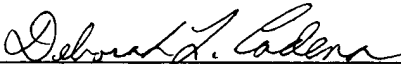
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